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A PRIMARY PROBABLE

Meeting of the Executive Committee at Frankfort Today.

Dr. Duncan May Get Bail This Week—Distillers Meet at Louisville.

CARLISLE IN WASHINGTON

Frankfort, Nov. 25—Democratic politicians of prominence from all over Kentucky are here today to attend the meeting of the state executive committee of the party at which is to be decided whether the nominees for state offices next year are to be selected by the old time way, a delegate convention, or by an ordinary primary election. That it will be the latter way is a foregone conclusion. Certainly nine and probably eleven of the thirteen members of the committee have declared themselves in favor of the primary method.

MAY GET BAIL

Pittsburg, Nov. 25—Application for the release of Dr. Ellis Duncan will likely be made the latter part of this week. Advice from Bruce Head's bedside state that there is not one chance in a hundred for erysipelas setting in now, as the wound in his neck is about closed. The attending physicians, it is said, will be able to conscientiously certify the last of this week that Head is entirely out of danger.

FORMING AN INSURANCE COMPANY.

Louisville, Nov. 25—The Kentucky Distillers' Association is in session at the Galt house today. J. J. Thompson, the president, is presiding. The most important matter under consideration is the formation of a mutual insurance company.

CARLISLE IN WASHINGTON.

Washington, Nov. 25—Ex-Secretary John G. Carlisle is in town attending a meeting of the trustees of the Carnegie institution.

YOUNG DESPERADO

Harry Stone Struck Mr. George Lehnhard in the Head.

Had Been Ordered Away From the Leigh Warehouse by Mr. Lehnhard.

A negro boy named Harry Stone is wanted for malicious assault. He struck Mr. George Lehnhard, an employee of the Leigh Fruit and Storage company, at the company's warehouse on Trimble street near Sixth today shortly after 12 o'clock, in the head with a large stone badly injuring him. It appears the young negro, with several others, had been hanging about where they were unloading a car of bananas, greatly annoying the drivers, and had several times been asked to desist.

Finally Mr. Lehnhard went out, and as a result of an altercation the negro struck him with the stone and ran. Mr. Ollie Leigh took him home in his buggy and Dr. Graves attended him, and this afternoon it was thought he was seriously hurt. He was rendered unconscious by the blow, but later recovered. At press time Stone had not been arrested.

THE MARKETS.

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December.....	75 1/2	75 1/2
May.....	76 1/2	76 1/2
CORN—		
October.....	33 1/2	33 1/2
December.....	34 1/2	34 1/2
May.....	35 1/2	35 1/2
OATS—		
October.....	31 1/2	31 1/2
December.....	32 1/2	32 1/2
May.....	33 1/2	33 1/2
POKE—		
October.....	15 60	15 62
January.....	14 60	14 62
May.....	14 60	14 62
LARD—		
October.....	9 37	9 37
January.....	8 70	8 72
May.....	8 70	8 72
RIBS—		
October.....	8 05	8 10
January.....	7 87	7 87
May.....	7 87	7 87
STOCKS		
L. & N.....	124 1/2	124 1/2
I. C.....	140 1/2	140 1/2
U. S. S. P.....	84 1/2	84 1/2
U. S. S. C.....	26 1/2	26 1/2
Mo. P.....	100 1/2	100 1/2

CROW TO BE OUSTED

Joint Committee Decides That Paducah Has no City Marshal.

Chief Collins to be Instructed to Perform the Duties—Ordinances to be Passed Today.

A LIVELY FIGHT IMMINENT

The joint committee from the council and board of aldermen, composed of Councilmen Fowler, Hummel and Woolfolk and Aldermen Greif, Jones and Singleton, met at the city hall last night, and behind closed doors conferred over the present situation resulting from the city trying to work under both the second and the third class charters.

A resolution was passed declaring that under the second class charter, under which the city is operating, there is no provision made for a marshal, and that none can be maintained by the city, consequently that there is no city marshal and that the board of fire and police commissioners notify the chief of police, James Collins, to collect all fines, forfeitures and costs in the police court and turn the same into the city treasury, and to discharge the duties now performed by Marshal James Crow.

This means that Marshal James Crow, who has not yet served a year of his four year term, is to be forced out of office, if possible. The resolution is final, so far as the city is concerned and no ordinance will be necessary to carry out its provisions.

It becomes effective December 1, when Marshal Crow's quarter ends. This means that Marshal Crow will now have to sue out an injunction enjoining Chief of Police Collins from collecting the fees, and to test in the courts the legality of declaring that the office he holds does not exist. He will doubtless do this in a few days.

The joint committee last night also decided to stop all the fees and commissions that are now paid to the city clerk, wharfmaster, prosecuting attorney, city weigher and sexton of Oak Grove. The weigher gets 80 per cent of the proceeds, the attorneys one-third of the revenue from the police court, and the others commissions that amount to a great deal more than the salary.

This change will have to be done by ordinance. This afternoon the council will convene at the city hall and decide on what to pay the various officials above, who will be deprived of their perquisites. The salaries must be fixed by ordinance, and it is not known what will be decided on. The council meets tonight in called session to pass the ordinance.

A member of the committee said this morning in discussing the situation, that it didn't make any difference whether they had any right to cut off the prosecuting attorney's fees and pay him a salary instead or not, that they were going to do it just the same, and let him do the kicking.

Attorney Gilbert will doubtless do plenty of kicking. It is estimated that his office now pays him about \$200 a month on an average, and it is suggested by some of the officials that he be given a salary of as little as \$40 a month. He will probably resist the ordinance when it is passed and becomes effective, through a suit in the courts.

It appears that the boards are told on one side that a man's compensation cannot be changed during his term of office, and on the other, as positively stated in the charter under which we are working, that all the revenue derived from police court must be turned into the city treasury for the use and benefit of the city. They are going to take their chances on changing the compensation of the prosecuting attorney during his term, a decision of the court of appeals specifying that salaries may be fixed after a person's election where no salary existed before. Some of the aldermen take it that as the attorney has been paid in fees, he had no salary, and under the decision of the court of appeals, they have a right to fix one now and cut off the

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A MYSTERIOUS SHOT

Robert Banks Says Four Robbers Tried to Hold Him up

One Shot Him in the Leg and He Fired Four Times at the Others.

SEVERAL ARRESTS MADE

Robert Banks, colored, a cook in a restaurant in the rear of Winfrey's saloon on lower Court street, has a very vivid imagination, or else had a close call at the hands of robbers today. He was shot in the leg about 4:30 o'clock this morning near Ninth and Court streets, and Lieutenant T. J. Moore was called to Winfrey's saloon a short time afterwards to take charge of him.

Banks informed the officer that he lives in Stephon's alley, in the vicinity of Ninth, Court and Washington streets, and that when he was near the open lot on Court street between Mr. George Langstaff's and Mr. F. Kamleiter's residence, he saw a man standing near a telephone post, but did not pay any attention to him.

When he got even with him, three men stepped out from the shadow of the lot, and commanded him to halt. He didn't comply and the man behind the post, who had on a light coat and derby, pulled a pistol and shot him through the right leg. He does not know whether this man was white or colored, but says that the three men who attempted to stop him were white.

After the man behind the post fired, he, Banks drew his own pistol and shot four times at them as they ran. He claims that he hit his back turned towards the man who shot him when the pistol was fired, but Lieutenant Moore says that this would have been impossible on account of the location of the wound. The bullet passed through the calf of the leg, entering one side and passing through ranging slightly downward, only a trivial wound. Its position indicates that the shot was fired from the side.

The peculiar part of the story is that no one in that vicinity heard the five shots. A number of people who were up and in that neighborhood heard one shot, but no more, and the police are inclined to think that for some reason the negro shot himself, or else a woman, Jane Sansberry, he has been living with shot him. After being shot he claims he ran around to Washington street and to Winfrey's saloon where he was found. He said the wound never gave him any pain until he arrived there, and he didn't even know he was shot. Both Banks and the woman were locked up pending an investigation.

Mesdames H. Meyers and A. Heintzberger of New Albany, Ind., will arrive this evening to visit Mrs. Wm. Nagel and Mrs. Harry Meyers.

FROM THE DISTRICT

Peculiar Case Reported From Madisonville.

Ed Carter Got a Heavy Sentence at Mayfield—Damage Suit at Dixon.

NEWS FROM OTHER PLACES

NEEDLE IN HER SIDE.

Madisonville, Ky., Nov. 25—Miss Nora Ballard, daughter of Tom Ballard, living on Mr. Omer's farm, near Grove Center, was taken ill recently and was in a critical condition. A physician was called and for several days she seemed to be in great danger. One night while those sitting up with her were doing all they could for her she felt something sharp coming out of her side. She pulled out what proved to be a good-sized needle. The young girl is now improving very rapidly and will be herself again in a few days. How the needle got on the inside of the girl is not known.

ED CARTER CONVICTED.

Mayfield, Ky., Nov. 25—The jury in the case of the commonwealth against Ed Carter returned a verdict this morning, finding him guilty of cutting, and fixing his punishment at a fine of \$500 and twelve months in the county jail. It was expected that he'd get a life sentence as he has been three times convicted.

ALIENATED WIFE'S AFFECTIONS

Madisonville, Ky., Nov. 25—Dr. Alonzo Clark, of Dixon, has filed suit in the Webster circuit court for \$5,000 damages against J. R. Sowders, a prominent hotel and restaurant man of Dixon. The plaintiff claims in his petition that the defendant has alienated the affections of plaintiff's wife. Dr. Clark has filed suit against his wife, Mrs. Ethel Clark, for divorce, and Mrs. Clark has filed suit against her husband for divorce.

DEATH AT BOWLING GREEN.

Bowling Green, Ky., Nov. 25—Miss Edith Nahn, one of the best known young ladies of this city, died very suddenly at the home of her father, Mr. Ben Nahn, 1319 State street. She was ill for only a few hours, and her death was a source of great sorrow to the entire city. She is a sister of Mr. Walter Nahn, of N. M. Uri and Co., of Louisville. The remains will be sent to Louisville for burial.

TO MINE COAL.

Madisonville, Ky., Nov. 25—The Gordon Land company owns 1,236 acres of land lying between Greasy and Clear creeks on which coal mines will soon be opened. Solid veins of No 9 and No 11 coal are underneath the surface of this land at no great depth and one vein outcrops on part of it. The coal is of a fine quality. A track one and a half miles from the Providence branch will touch the land.

ONLY TWO CHANGES

Rev. G. W. Briggs Transferred to the Baltimore Conference.

Rev. Banks Goes to Memphis and W. C. Sellars Succeeds Him at Third Street Church.

MADE APPOINTMENTS MADE

Conference ended yesterday at Paris, Tenn., and most of the Paducahans who attended have returned home.

As told in yesterday's Sun, Rev. T. J. Newell, who has been at Dyersburg, was assigned to the Broadway Methodist church here to succeed Rev. G. W. Briggs.

Rev. G. W. Banks, who has had charge of the Third street church, was transferred to Memphis, and is succeeded here by Rev. W. C. Sellars.

Rev. H. B. Johnston continues presiding elder and Rev. T. J. (Cap) Owen is in charge of the missions.

Important appointments made were: Paducah district, H. B. Johnston, P. E.

Paducah Broadway church, T. J. Newell.

Paducah Trimble street church, J. W. Irion.

Paducah Third street church, W. C. Sellars.

City Mission, T. J. Owen.

First church, Memphis, W. E. Thompson.

Central church, Memphis, W. E. Piner.

Hernando street church, Memphis, G. W. Banks.

Harris Mission, Memphis, E. H. Martin.

Madison Heights, Memphis, J. C. Wilson.

Springhill circuit, Warner Moore.

Mayfield church, J. H. Roberts.

Clinton church, E. S. Harris.

Brownsville Station, W. W. Adams.

Dyersburg church, B. H. Mahon.

Covington church, W. A. Freeman.

Union City church, W. J. Meccoy.

Fulton church, E. B. Ramsey.

First church, Jackson, J. H. Evans.

Hays avenue church, Jackson, J. G. Clarke.

Summersville church, David Leath.

Martin Station, G. W. Wilson.

Paris church, W. W. Meadows.

The Paducah churches are well fixed, having able men sent them.

Presiding Elder H. B. Johnston has already done a fine work in the district, and this year will give him even great advantage to push it to the leading place in the conference, being his fourth in the work. Rev. J. W. Irion is returned at the unanimous request of his church whom he has thoroughly pleased, he is a strong and popular young minister. While Broadway and Third street both have new pastors they are not new men, being well known and tried. Rev. T. J. Newell has already made his name in the conference, and is a fine all-round man. He was stationed at Brownsville four years and was instrumental in rebuilding the pretty church there after the big fire, in less than a year's time. He has been spoken of for Broadway at various times, and his appointment came as no surprise. Rev. W. C. Sellars who comes to Third street, was formerly presiding elder of the Paducah district, and he and his wife have many friends here. Methodism in Paducah should move forward well next year with such strong leaders. An appropriation of \$500 was allowed by conference for city mission work here, besides the \$200 and \$400 appropriation for Trimble street and Third street respectively. The following Methodists from Paducah district were put on the conference boards:

Board of church extension, B. H. Scott.

Board of missions, Dr. W. R. Hayes.

Epworth League board, J. W. Irion and S. T. Hubbard.

Joint board of finance, C. J. Barlow.

Sunday school board, J. C. Speight.

While Rev. G. W. Banks' friends and church here are sorry to lose him, they all rejoice that he has so good a charge as Hernando street, Memphis. His fine work here last year merited deserved recognition. Rev. "Cap" Owen will have charge of the city

FACTS COMING OUT

Now Claimed That the President Did Not Dine With Booker.

He Did Not Deny the Report Because He Is Too Far Above Originals.

LEADING DEMOCRAT TALKS

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 25—The Commercial Appeal prints a story today purporting to give the facts in the noted Booker Washington incident, which stirred up the people so in the south several months ago, and to which no attention was paid by the president.

It says: Booker Washington did not dine at the White House table as the guest of President Roosevelt and family, as has been previously charged, is the startling announcement made by General Marcus J. Wright, of the war department at Washington, who has been visiting in Memphis for a number of days.

"That statement was false," declared General Wright. "In the midst of the conference between the president and Washington, lunch was sent in to the chief executive of the nation. Desiring to continue the conversation and rather than lose the time necessary for Washington to go to lunch, President Roosevelt thereupon ordered that lunch be served to the negro educator in the same room."

"Now this was all there was to that story. Washington did not dine at the White House table, did not break bread with the president's wife and daughter, and was in no sense a guest upon terms of social equality."

"Now, as you all know, I am a Democrat, and have never voted any other ticket in my life. For the past 23 years, however, I have been a resident of Washington, and have had no opportunity of exercising my franchise. But when a man has been so woefully misunderstood, even if he is my political opponent, I believe it a duty to set the matter right before the people."

"The whole truth of the matter is this. President Roosevelt had been anxious for some time to obtain a truthful light on the situation in the south. Finally, at the suggestion of a number of southern and northern men of both great political parties, he sent a message to Booker Washington asking him to come to the capital for conference regarding the negro, his needs, and his capabilities. Washington came, and the conference, which was started in the president's executive office and was changed to his private office because of repeated interruptions, continued for five hours."

mission, the chapel built last year at Littleville, and for which he did an excellent work, and the new one to be built this year out in the west end, the city.

The reports made at conference this year showed: Increase on missions, \$2,040.04; number of members in Memphis conference, 58,603; number of Sunday schools in Memphis conference, 509; number of Sunday school scholars enrolled, 34,529; amount raised for support of the ministry during the past year, \$99,504.96.

Conference will meet next year at Fulton and the Rev. E. B. Ramsey, well beloved here, will be the conference host.

THE RAINFALL

IT HAS BEEN ABOUT THERE INCHES SINCE SATURDAY.

The rain has continued since Saturday, and the fall up to 7 o'clock this morning was 2.5 inches, and has doubtless amounted to nearly three inches since then.

The prospects are for more water, and it is reported that in a few days the boats will all be running again and the big towboats will get out of Pittsburgh.

The river reports did not get in today until this afternoon, and they indicate a nice stage of water, there being rises everywhere above, but to what extent cannot just yet be told.

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Captain Henry Bailey returned from Falton this morning, where he had gone on private business.

NO FLOWERS.

EXCEPT THOSE FROM HIS WIFE'S HAT.

In deference to his expressed wish, the funeral of James Culps was conducted without ceremony or flowers, save the wreath made from the artificial ones in his wife's hat, recently taken from it for that purpose, says a Macon telegram to the St. Louis Republic. He said he wanted no other tributes around his casket or grave.

The dead man had requested his wife to play a selection from the hymnbook, "The Uncloudy Day," on the piano, and to dispense with all other formalities. He particularly stipulated that he was not to be buried if it rained or snowed, and that if such weather prevailed the interment was to be postponed.

The morning opened fair, and toward noon it became bright and clear, but at the time set for the funeral the sky became overcast with such heavy clouds it was feared that the carriages would have to be sent back and the obsequies laid over. No rain fell, however, and the letter of the bond with the deceased was faithfully kept.

Mr. Culps was 60 years old. He traveled for a St. Louis nursery firm. He was a brother of H. B. Culps of the lithographing department of George D. Barnard's establishment in St. Louis.

TO HAVE ORGAN.

AND THEREFORE THE FIRST PASTOR LEAVES THE CHURCH.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 24.—By a vote of 361 for and 202 against, the Broadway Christian church has decided to install instrumental music. Hidden beneath this simple statement there is a sensation, for the vote not only gives the church instrumental music, but it lessens its membership by from 150 to 200 persons and drives away the Rev. Dr. J. W. McGarvey, the church's first pastor, now president of the Kentucky Bible college, and Elder J. W. Zachary, late Prohibition candidate for congress from this district.

The congregation knew all this when the vote was cast, for both Dr. McGarvey and Elder Zachary had called for their letters and declared openly that they would join the Chestnut street church, which has no organ. The voting was done by ballot, each member having been furnished during the week with a ballot, with the request that the vote be recorded and sent to the church secretary Virgil McClure. Dr. McGarvey published his views some days since, giving scriptural reasons for refusing to worship with instrumental music.

SONG WRITER DEAD

MAN WHO WROTE "THE MOCKING BIRD" IS NO MORE

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 25.—Septimus Winner, composer of "The Mocking Bird" and hundreds of other popular songs, died suddenly at his home here. He was 76 years of age.

Mr. Winner was the author of 200 technical books on musical instruments, and arranged over 2,000 compositions for the violin and piano. He also possessed considerable poetic ability, his latest work, completed recently, being "The Cogitations of a Crank." Mr. Winner was a frequent contributor to Graham's Magazine when Edgar Allen Poe was editor of that publication. One of his compositions, "Give Us Back Our Old Commander," written after the removal of General McClellan, is said to have threatened the disruption of the military forces, and its publication was stopped by the government.

Mr. Winner sold the "Mocking Bird" for \$35, but the publishers years later admitted having realized \$3,000,000 from its sale.

RELEASED.

New York Herald, June 6: The costumes of "A Wise Woman" company, which were seized by the custom authorities several days ago, were today released duty free and entered as "tools of trade." They are exquisite productions of the Parisian modiste's art and will simply set the ladies wild with delight who have the pleasure of seeing this attraction.

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COMMITTEES NAMED

PRESIDENT DUBOIS APPOINTS STANDING COMMITTEES FOR COMMERCIAL CLUB.

President Stanley DuBois, who was recently elected president of the Commercial club, has named the following standing committees for the year:

Executive—O. W. Thompson, J. A. Bauer, Judge R. T. Lightfoot.
Ways and means—Chas. Reed, Sol Dreyfuss, H. A. Petter.
Membership—L. M. Rieke, Chas. Weille, R. G. Caldwell.
New industries—G. C. Thompson, F. E. Lack, Geo. C. Wallace.
Entertainment—W. F. Paxton, Hon. C. K. Wheeler, S. A. Fowler.
Freight and passenger rates—F. P. Toof, H. C. Rhodes, C. W. Sherrill.
Taxation—R. E. Ashbrook, T. C. Leech, E. W. Smith.
Insurance—O. L. Gregory, Harry Hank, J. L. Friedman.
Legislation—W. B. Weeks, Hon. J. D. McQuot, Jake Wallerstein.
Advertising—F. L. Scott, L. S. Gleaves, W. P. Hummel.
Mail facilities—L. S. DuBois, H. L. Bradley, Will Hoerber.
Immigration—John W. Little, E. W. Whittemore, C. L. VanMeter.
Parks and library—Hon. D. A. Yeiser, J. A. Rudy, Dr. S. B. Caldwell.

COAL COMING.

PRESENT RISE WILL PROBABLY RESULT IN GREAT ACTIVITY.

Local rivermen are of the opinion that the recent rains will cause a sufficient rise in the Ohio to start the coalboats, now lying at Pittsburgh, downstream. All the streams above Pittsburgh are now on a "rise" and considerable water is being poured into the main stream by its tributaries. All the barges at Pittsburgh are loaded and reports say that about 25,000,000 bushels of coal await the rise for shipment south. The bulk of the coal will go to Cincinnati, Louisville and New Orleans.

ELEVATOR GIRLS IN BOSTON.
(Boston Telegram to the Chicago Chronicle)

Boston's latest and smartest girl is the elevator girl. She suddenly has made her appearance in the fashionable downtown stores, dressmaking establishments, the Young Woman's Christian Association and the Women's Educational and Industrial Union.

It all came about because the elevator man at the latter place left. Looking around for some one to take his place, one of the managers suggested employing a girl, and it was done at once. The new girl was young and pretty and wore a neat cap, apron and shoes with shining buckles. The patrons of the Union luncheon room were pleased.

A week later a girl appeared in the mirror lined elevator of the Young Women's Christian Association. The idea became a fad and more girls were given places. Their employment is fast becoming popular in other establishments.

BEST LINIMENT ON EARTH.

I. M. McHany, Greenville, Tex., writes, Nov. 2, 1900: "I had rheumatism last winter, was down in bed six weeks; tried everything, but got no relief till a friend gave me a part of a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. I used it, and got two more bottles. It cured me and I haven't felt any rheumatism since. I can recommend Snow Liniment to be the best liniment on earth for rheumatism." For rheumatic, sciatic or neuralgic pains rub in Ballard's Snow Liniment; you will not suffer long, but will be gratified with a speedy and effective cure. 25c, 50c and \$1 at DuBois, Kolb and Co.

KILLED A B'AR.

Friends of Mr. George Robertson, who is hunting bears in Arkansas, have received word that he had a narrow escape a few days ago, a big bear almost reaching him after being wounded. Mr. Robertson was in close quarters and saved himself by killing the animal with his hunting knife.

NEW EIGHT-CENT STAMP.

HEAD OF MARTHA WASHINGTON THE SUBJECT OF THE DESIGN.

Washington, Nov. 25.—The United States government has never issued a postage stamp decorated with the head of a woman. But this cannot be said after December 1. On that day the postoffice department will begin sending out to postmasters a new 8 cent stamp, on which will be used the head of Martha Washington. The design is considered one of the most beautiful ever put out by the postoffice department. The head is encircled with a wreath. At the bottom, on the left, is 1732, the year in which Martha Washington was born; on the right, 1802, the year in which she died. She was born May 21.

The postoffice department first got the idea of decorating a stamp with a woman's head from a short article which appeared in a ladies' magazine early this year, in which the writer complained that the ladies were being discriminated against by the stamp designers of the postoffice department, for apparently, they had never seen fit to have a representative of the fair sex placed on the face of a postage stamp. A Detroit paper took the matter up editorially, and Mr. Madden, the third assistant postmaster general, being a Detroit man, noticed the article and began thinking about the matter. The result is a new 8 cent stamp.

TO CALL PRIMARY.

MEETING HELD YESTERDAY TO TAKE PRELIMINARY STEPS.

Chairman C. W. Morrison, of the Democratic county committee and R. G. Caldwell, of the Democratic city committee, held a conference yesterday afternoon and decided to at once begin correspondence with the chairman of the Democratic county committee of Marshall county to prepare for a meeting of the committeemen in the judicial district, composed of Marshall and McCracken, and decide on a primary to nominate candidates for circuit judge and prosecuting attorney.

There are many prospective candidates for the two offices, and some want a primary in about May, while others want one in the summer.

GUESS SOCIAL.

PLEASANT TIME ANTICIPATED AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Secretary Hanna is preparing for the "Guess Social" that will be held at the Y. M. C. A. on Thanksgiving night. He intends to make this one of the biggest and most successful socials ever held in the city. It will be an informal affair to which both ladies and gentlemen are invited. Heretofore all socials and entertainments have nearly always been exclusive of out-siders, but since the new management had taken hold, there has been a change and the socials and entertainments have proven a success, more so than in former years. Refreshments will be served and there will be a musical programme arranged.

A DANGEROUS MONTH.

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County Judge Lightfoot intends to order a new road from the Wadesboro and Houser roads in the county, but will not do it until the next term of county court.

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Observationsat Random

"Watch that old woman strike something dead easy" remarked a well known local showman yesterday morning, as the Al Field minstrel troupe stopped near Fourth and Broadway for a concert.

The decrepit mendicant, with dingy black dress that dragged in the mud, and an empty basket hanging forlornly on her arm, espied the smug-looking men in light coats and silk hats as they stood around waiting for the band to finish, and shambling feebly up to the first group, she peered out of her old sunbonnet at the nearest with glassy, watery eyes, and in a whining voice said: "Can you assist me this morning?"

Each one of the prosperous showmen looked at the pitiable object, and each promptly put his hand in his pocket and drew forth a coin and handed it to her.

"They'll do it every time," declared the showman who for years was an actor, to the reporter, "for it's bad luck to refuse. Yes sir, they'd be afraid to refuse. They think they wouldn't get a corporal's guard at the theater tonight if they'd refuse a beggar. Most show people are superstitious and they all know the belief prevalent in the profession that it is bad luck to refuse. You watch 'em when she tackles them."

Encouraged by her success with the first bunch, the old woman went to them all, and it was remarkable how spry she became when she realized that they wouldn't be there all day and she would have to hurry in order to get around. And sure enough, every blooming one of them gave her a piece of money, ranging from a nickel to a quarter. Fortunately she didn't know whether those in red coats were so easy as the others and consequently did not stop the hand so she could brace them for assistance, too.

A man who has traveled for 27 years all over the country is now in the city, and was surprised at the difference in the appearance of Paducah as compared with some of the cities of the same size north of the Ohio river.

"I can't see why it is," he said to a reporter. "I see that the people don't even take enough pride in their city to keep the cows off the streets. Why, you don't see anything like that further north. And I have found that while there are many large cities south of the Ohio river, most of them are all of the same kind of people. Easy going, unprogressive people, who want to live just as they have been living for the past forty years, and think they are fortunate if they don't backslide."

"And the taxes! Why I find that no town, not those even that have every modern improvement, with the finest streets, water and electric systems, have any higher tax rate than these towns that seem content to get along with nothing."

"I find that in Paducah there is hardly a business, profession, or avocation that you do not have to pay a heavy license for, and those things keep people away. When a town seems dead, and the people lack progress, those who desire to move from the east usually hear of it when they get ready to emigrate, and furthermore, usually stay away."

"I find that this lack of progress predominates in most of the places I have been south of the Ohio river to a greater or less extent, and based, of course, always on a comparison with cities of about the same population in the east or north. You people ought to get a move on yourselves."

What the man says is only too true of Paducah. The town is not going to grow itself, and improve itself. We must make it grow and improve.

County Judge Lightfoot does not know whether he has played a joke on a colored couple recently married by him, or whether the couple has played a joke on him. Officials more than preachers have to contend with the class of people who have a marriage ceremony performed and then inform the official that they have no money.

The other day a colored couple entered Judge Lightfoot's office and said they wanted to be married, producing the license. The judge gave them a good job, dwelling at some length on the importance of living amicably together, for good measure.

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was paid to perform it. The negro didn't seem to care if it was. He left license, judge and all—except the \$2—and hasn't been back since. Judge Lightfoot does not know whether the man thinks the marriage was not binding and left the license on that account, or whether he simply worked the judge for a free marriage ceremony, and doesn't care whether he has a certificate or not. He is inclined to think it is the latter.

"Queen Lil" was one of the elephants with the Bostock carnival aggregation here last spring and doubtless many Paducah people rode on her. She was the altar on which a couple was married at Pensacola, Florida a day or two ago, and it was rather unique wedding. Miss Rhoda Hurd, 13 years, and Daniel Spence, 15 years, were joined in wedlock on the back of the big elephant of a "Midway" show. Over 10,000 persons witnessed the ceremony. The big elephant was led out to the open and there the boy and girl were assisted to the big saddle, followed by the bridal party, eight in number. After the ceremony the bridal party took a ride around the festival grounds on the back of Queen Lil.

Some two weeks ago the Pensacola Journal offered to pay the expense of the marriage and start the young couple in life with a home provided they became man and wife on the back of the big elephant at the fall festivities. This offer was added to by the merchants of the city, making up a total of several hundred dollars. The offer was accepted by the young couple.

A Chicago paper says: "Greatest sight I ever saw," said L. B. Snell of Paducah, Ky., one day last week as he paid his bill to Clerk Shaeffer of the Great Northern hotel. "Now I'm going home to tell the folks."

"Art museum? Masonic Temple? New postoffice?"

"None of those," replied the Kentuckian, "but over here in a restaurant window I saw three oysters as big as pumpkins. I'd have said they were pink squashes if it hadn't been for the sign."

Clerk Shaeffer couldn't understand. He called a bell boy.

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DAILY THOUGHT.

"Contentment consisteth not in adding more fuel, but in taking away some fire."

THE WEATHER.

Clearing and cooler tonight. Wednesday fair.

A BAD SET OF LAWS.

The Democrats, who have been in control of the legislative, executive and judicial departments of the state of Kentucky almost continuously, are responsible for the laws we have on our statute books today. They are responsible for the equivocal, incongruous and in many instances pernicious and foolish laws by which we are largely governed, and which no man, in many instances, can interpret intelligently. The laws, passed frequently by ignorant and partisan legislators, often bear the imprint of illiteracy and display a crying lack of knowledge of jurisprudence. They are in many cases conflicting, tautological and redundant, and in other ways indicate that the Democrats are "dismal failures as lawmakers." The present fight over the Democratic gubernatorial nomination is one of the results of the ambiguous laws that have been passed. Some claim that the present governor, who is serving an unexpired term, is not eligible to run at the approaching election, and some contend that he is. If the law were plain, and it ought to be plain, there would be no doubt. Because it is not plain serious complications are likely to arise and not only split the Democratic party, but remove any chance it may have had to win the next gubernatorial election, which will be what it deserves. We see the inadequacy of Kentucky laws exemplified every day in all the courts. Laws have been passed and enrolled after weeks of trouble and debate only in the end, after costly trials, to be decided unconstitutional, or duplicates of some law that existed before, and therefore totally unwarranted or unnecessary. The courts, from the small justices' tribunals to the appellate court, are constantly puzzled over what the clodhopper legislators mean by some of the laws they have passed. Right in Paducah today can be plainly perceived the effect of their ignorance. We do not know "where we are at," simply because the lawmakers have not made it sufficiently plain what to do or what should be done in certain cases, and the prospect for next year, when there is bound to be a contest for the office of mayor and doubtless of others in Paducah on account of the inconsistency of the law, is anything but pleasant for those who like to enjoy a peaceful, tranquil government, free from litigation and political strife.

The court of appeals frequently reverses itself, hence its decisions can no longer safely be taken as precedents. Every time the personnel of the court changes, the decisions are liable to change, and the very fact that the way the law is to be construed is so uncertain makes litigation a sort of lottery, and consequently more popular than it should be to some and unavoidable to many who regard it as something costly and disagreeable. One great trouble is in the class of men sent to the legislature. This is true even in our own county, which has sent up some brilliant men, and yet, on the other hand, has elected some who barely had sense enough to

couldn't write half a dozen intelligible sentences, and yet this class of men has in many instances been foisted on the people of Kentucky by the Democratic voters, who then have the temerity to refer to Republicans as "organized ignorance." What Kentucky needs is a few legislatures of intelligent men, legislatures not overrun with corruptible, partisan Democratic lawyers and politicians, who railroad through laws that are inimical to the interests of the people, by and with the consent of the ignoramuses who don't know any better than to let them do it.

The court of appeals, according to many good attorneys, boasts of some members who are no more competent to sit in such an exalted position than some country school teacher. They wouldn't even make good circuit judges. And the Democrats have put them there. The people should begin to think about such things, and hereafter go to the polls and see that some of the evils of our government are rectified.

West Virginia is trying to take a radical step in raising taxes. Instead of taxing property it is proposed by the commission to raise the million dollars worth of state taxes by requiring licenses on every business and industry. It is proposed to tax coal mined in the state a third of a cent a ton. Oil is to be taxed, also, and there will be a tax on every charter to a corporation and every liquor license. This ought to afford a brilliant outlook to the manufacturer and others who are developing the resources of the state, and have to work for a living to supply the popular demand for various products. On the other hand, the man who owns property, and is probably sitting idly at home doing nothing but enjoying his income, will have to contribute nothing to the support of the commonwealth as long as he does not work or engage in some business. West Virginia's tax commission seems to have evolved a remarkable method of raising taxes!

The city of Paducah is likely to get into trouble over the condition of the sidewalks in several places on Broadway. Every day, almost, cases are reported to the papers where citizens get judgments against cities and townships for injuries received by falling on defective sidewalks and pavements. Only yesterday a woman got a judgment at Murray for \$175 and costs for a fall she received through a sidewalk. The judgment was not large, but the case lasted a week and the costs were quite large. It appears the city officials of Paducah do not believe in the adage that "a stitch in time saves nine."

The plan of placing telephone receivers in the churches in order that those who prefer to remain at home may enjoy the music and sermon is not destined to prove very popular with the ministers, unless some method is invented by which the collection may be taken up by wire.

ANOTHER CONTINUANCE

B. H. COBB NOT TRIED THIS MORNING—FIRM HEARD FROM.

The charge against B. H. Cobb, of Graves county, charged with obtaining money by false pretenses in two cases, by claiming to have authority to appoint agents for a Chicago house, was again continued in Judge Sanders' court this morning. He was arrested Sunday on a second warrant, after having given bond in one case, and has not yet given bond in the other case.

Chief of Police Collins today received a telegram from the Globe company of Chicago saying that on account of the holiday rush they could not spare a man to come here and appear against Cobb. A letter is expected tonight or tomorrow stating that the defendant is not connected with the firm.

ON TO CAIRO.

CAPT. MARK COLE HAVING PETITIONS SIGNED IN PADUCAH.

Capt. Mark Cole, the well known river man, is today having signed petitions to President Roosevelt requesting him to embody in his next address a recommendation that the Ohio river be improved from source to mouth. They are known as "On to Cairo" petitions, and are being signed in every city on the Ohio river. Several hundred names have been affixed in Paducah, including most of the heads of firms and representative men, and Captain Cole hopes to get



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OBSERVATIONS AT RANDOM.

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kind of squash. The sign 'oysters' was placed up against 'em.' "Then I don't go home" replied Mr. Snell. "I'll stay over another day and hunt up a real something to tell the folks about."

A petty larceny case in the police court this morning created considerable fun. Two negroes, one about 35 or 40 years old, and the other a boy, were charged with stealing a ten cent basket of grapes.

The older one testified that the younger one gave him the grapes, and he took them home with him. The younger one claimed that he saw the grapes setting on a meat block, and taking them up, the older man came along and said, "Who done stole dem grapes o' mine?"

"I sed heah dey is, mistah, I didn't aim tow tek 'em, an' he dun taken em from me 'an' dat's de las' I see ob 'em," explained the younger.

It appears that the older one saw the grapes and when the other one picked up the basket asked who had them, and the younger one proceeded to turn them over to him as if he thought they belonged to him. The other, knowing that he had no grapes, took the basket just the same but the evidence was so conflicting that both went scott free.

It is perhaps just as well, however, as the grapes were recovered and no one lost anything by the theft.

MALICIOUS CUTTING

Curtis Husbands, Colordd, Arrested for Slashing Pete Bruce.

Arrests for Minor Offenses This Afternoon.

Curtis Husbands, colored, son of Mat Husbands, the grocer and barber, was arrested this morning shortly before noon by Officers Farrow and Clark on a warrant charging him with malicious cutting. Husbands and Pete Bruce are employed in the same barber shop adjoining the Frank Kirchoff bakery on South Second street, and last night got into a quarrel. Husbands, it is alleged, pulled out his razor and began to "work" on Bruce, who was badly cut on the hand. The warrant was taken out this morning and Husbands arrested immediately after its issuance. He gave bond, his father becoming his security.

George Hall, white, was arrested this morning by Patrol Driver John Austin for drunkenness.

James Gaines, colored, was arrested this morning by Officers Dugan and Rogers for a breach of the peace.

OPERATION FOR APPENDICITIS.

Dr. Frank Boyd was called to Collierville, Ky. yesterday afternoon to perform an operation on Miss Della Cord, who is suffering from appendicitis.

POLICE COURT

Fight at a Foundry Partially Heard Today in Police Court.

Whiskey Selling Cases Again Dismissed—Other Trials Heard.

The star case before Judge Sanders this morning was the malicious assault with intent to kill case against Henry Wilson, alias Waggener, and Woods Jones, the warrant charging them with assaulting Heck Grogan at Jackson's foundry yesterday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock.

It is alleged that Grogan and Wilson had been at outs for several days, the result of a boarding house quarrel, and that the latter had gone to the foundry to whip Grogan. Both men work at the foundry but Wilson had laid off in the afternoon. He claims to have gone back after his coat, accompanied by Jones, who had gone along as a friend, "just to accompany him." The fight occurred soon after Wilson's arrival and both men were pretty badly used up, Grogan receiving a dangerous wound over the right eye. It is alleged that Wilson had used a pair of brass knuckles which he had moulded that morning, but he claims that he struck Grogan with a stick while the latter had him down and was beating him. Jones is supposed to have interfered, but the testimony partially exonerated him. The case was left open until tomorrow and Jones recognized for his appearance tomorrow morning.

The case against Sam Cochran, colored, for selling whiskey without a license, was again continued, as was that against Alex Storrie, white, for violating the Sabbath.

The case against Walter Penn and Jesse Clark, colored, for stealing a basket of grapes, was dismissed.

Pete Bennett, white, an Irishman from Danville, Ill., was fined \$1 and costs for drunkenness.

Joe Brewster, white, and George Grundy and Will Bell, colored, were fined \$5 and costs for sleeping in a box car.

The case against Bell Stephenson, white, the ice wagon driver who broke through a procession, for breach of ordinance, was dismissed.

George Tilley and Ida Yarbrow, white, for immorality, were fined \$20 and costs.

The malicious shooting case against Henry McElmore, colored, was continued.

AN OLD CITIZEN

MR. R. H. ALLEN DIES AT THE AGE OF 77.

Mr. R. H. Allen, the well known teamster, died this morning of general debility after an illness of several weeks.

He was born in Lincoln county, Tenn., and would have been 77 years of age Christmas, and had been residing in Paducah for 33 years. He had been married 56 years and leaves besides a wife the following children: Messrs. R. C. and H. E. Allen and Mrs. John Iseman and Mrs. Belle Mitchell, all of the city. He resided with his son, H. E. Allen, on South Eleventh street, and the funeral will be held at that place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. B. King of Wingo officiating.

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Ginger -
Cinnamon -
Molasses -
Castor Oil -
Mint -
Peppermint -
A perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP.
Fac Simile Signature of
Chas. H. Fletcher
NEW YORK.
At 6 months old
35 Doses - 35 CENTS
EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of

In Use For Over Thirty Years
CASTORIA
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

A BIG SUCCESS

The closing out sale which began last week is successful beyond our highest expectations. From the start our store has been crowded with purchasers and we regret that we did not have enough salesladies to wait upon the trade at first. We have extra salesladies now and can wait upon our customers in a more satisfactory way. This is the most important sale of

Dry Goods, Notions, Cloaks, etc

ever conducted in Paducah. Important because the sale is a genuine Closing out sale and will continue until stock is sold.

We are Positively going out of Business.

Come while you have the opportunity to buy your goods at cost.

Palmer's Racket Store,
325 Broadway.

FOR SWELL RIGS GO TO TULLY'S.

When you ride you want the best of horses and vehicles. That's the only kind we have.

TULLY LIVERY CO.,
FOURTH AND COURT.

HAVE MOVED

Our Sewing Machine office and store to 220 Broadway where we will be pleased to show you the celebrated Singer in the Shuttle Bobbin and automatic machines. We also carry a complete line of needles, oils, parts and attachments for all makes of machines.
PHONE 996 RED THE SINGER MFG CO.



Thanksgiving

Is almost upon us, and your tableware both as regards silver and dainty fine china, most likely is not in keeping with the menu you have prepared for that day of days.

We'll Surprise You

Both in the beauty and elegance of our stock and in the remarkably low prices attached.

See Us

For Kater Zinn and novelties; we can show you the latest things in these lines.

DIAMONDS

A Little Talking now and then and he will be

Like Other Men He'll buy your

SOLITAIRE

FROM US



THE OLD RELIABLE

ROYAL



BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure
THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

LOCAL LINES.

Cost you 8 cents per line.

Bell has plenty hickory wood at 1230 South Third Street. Mail orders.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.

Mrs. Reynolds of 208 Adams street is ill of typhoid fever.

Piano boxes two dollars at Baldwin's.

—Get a turkey roaster for 49c at The Arcade, larger size 59c.

Sheet music and music books to give away at Baldwin's, 520 Broadway.

—All sizes in roasting pans at The Arcade. Get a new one for your turkey.

We pay ten dollars for information that leads to sale of a piano. Baldwin's.

—One cent an inch is the price for that big 18 inch turkey dish or platter at The Arcade.

—Cake, bread and candy for sale on Wednesday at J. L. Powell's store by ladies of Broadway Methodist church.

—Buy a big turkey dish for that turkey. You can get them for 18c at The Arcade tomorrow.

—Edison's latest improved phonographs, prices \$10, \$20 and \$30. All the latest records for sale by R. D. Clements and Co.

—Just think of getting a big 18 inch turkey dish for 18c at The Arcade. See them in the window.

—Mr. H. E. Temple of the Maxon's Mills section has received from his son-in-law, Dr. S. Z. Holland of the county, who is hunting near Mosher, Ark., a fine deer which the latter killed.

—The funeral of the late Miss Annie Olancey of 1620 Trimble street, who died yesterday of lung trouble, took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. W. E. Cave officiating. The burial was at Oak Grove.

—Remember the Union Rescue Mission in your Thanksgiving offerings. Money, food, clothing, all can be utilized. If impossible to send, notify Rev. R. W. Chiles as soon as possible and he will come for your contribution.

Good Clothes Cheap

\$7.50 and \$10

All-wool clothing made by the best makers in the country just for our trade. No sense in paying a big price for clothing when Harbour can give you the same values for \$3 to \$5 less. Our clothing has the style, finish, fit and wear of the regular \$12.50 and \$15.00 suits.

Social Notes and About People.

SOCIAL NOTES.

THANKSGIVING RECEPTION.

The Lady Managers of the Home of the Friendless will have their annual Thanksgiving reception at the Home tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. For several years this has been an established custom on Thanksgiving eve, and much interest is always taken in it. This year should be made an especial occasion, as there are seventeen children in the Home now, and donations of all kinds will be most acceptable. But "a gift without the giver is bare," and the ladies want the presence of the people also. It will cheer and encourage them, please the children and help you, to leave a place on your social calendar for a call at the Home some time during the afternoon of tomorrow.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Miss Elizabeth Atkins was pleasantly surprised last evening by five or six of her young friends at her home on North Sixth street. The occasion was her birthday and a most pleasant evening was enjoyed.

DELPHIC CLUB.

The Delphic club had a pleasant meeting with Mrs. Lillard Sanders of North Seventh street this morning.

THANKSGIVING COTILLION.

The Cotillion club will give their usual Thanksgiving dance at the Palmer this evening.

WEST END CARD PARTY.

Mrs. David Brown Sanders is entertaining at cards this afternoon at her pleasant West Jefferson street home.

PERSONAL.

Miss Martha Leech has returned from Chicago.

Mr. John Rinckleff returned last night from Cairo.

Father Jansen returned from Mayfield this morning.

Mrs. C. C. Lee and children are visiting in Benton.

Mr. Joe McCarty went to Princeton this morning on a visit.

Mr. J. M. Buckner, Sr., the Louisville tobaccoconist, is at the Palmer.

Attorney William Reed went to Mayfield this morning on business.

Mr. H. C. Hoover, the typewriter man, has gone to Fulton on business.

Mr. J. V. Hardy, the well known implement man, is in the city again.

Mr. Pat Halloran returned to Cedar Bluff this morning after a visit to the city.

Miss Ruby Corbett is expected this week from Frankfort on a visit to Mrs. J. M. Ezell.

Mr. James Owen went to Louisville and Indianapolis this morning on business.

Mr. E. C. Clark of the New City laundry has gone to Nelson county on a week's hunt.

Mr. John Rock returned to Cedar Bluff this morning after a business visit to the city.

PAINFUL INJURY.

YOUNG LADY INJURED BY BROKEN GLOBE.

Miss Stella Lofton, of 1020 North Twelfth street, met with a serious accident last evening at 5 o'clock while at work in the machine department of the Forked Deer Pants Co. Large electric light globes hang near the machines and one of these burst and the small fragments filled her right eye. She was taken to Dr. Will Whayne and he removed ten pieces of glass from the ball and the lids and one small piece of platinum from the small wire that is in the globe. The injury was at first thought to be more serious than it proved, but this morning the eye was doing nicely and she will not lose the sight.

BRANCHING OUT.

GRAND LEADER TO HAVE A STORE AT MAYFIELD.

Mr. Dave Desborger, of the Grand Leader, has rented the Park building at Mayfield and will in a few days open up a big clothing store there.

It will be in charge of Mr. Joe Desborger, his brother, recently of St. Louis.

SNOW ABOUT MAYFIELD.

Mr. Will Scott returned from Water Valley and Mayfield this morning. He

DON'T OVERLOOK THIS.

A CAREFUL PERUSAL [WILL PROVE ITS VALUE TO EVERY PADUCAH READER.

The average man is a doubter, and there is little wonder that this is so. Misrepresentations make people skeptics.

Nowadays the public ask for better evidence than the testimony of strangers. Here is proof which should convince every Paducah reader.

Mr. W. W. Morris of 902 Bronson street, teacher, says: "If Doan's Kidney Pills had not been used in my family and the treatment had not brought positive results I could not be induced to recommend them. We noticed an advertisement about them and called at DuBois and Co's drug store for a box. It is a pleasure to endorse a preparation which acts up to the representations made for it."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents per box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

WITH THE SICK.

Mr. George Roth is better today.

Engineer William Bethel is better today.

Mrs. Wood of 218 Washington street is seriously ill.

Mr. Lashlee, of 1141 Jefferson street, is dangerously ill of typhoid fever.

Mr. Isaac Eaves is better today, his many friends will be pleased to learn.

Mr. Dow Wilcox is better today and is considered completely out of danger.

Miss Birdye Gilbert is better today, her many friends will be pleased to learn.

Mr. W. H. Kirby of the Palmer Transfer Co. is better at his home on North Sixth.

Miss Alice Johnston's many friends will be pleased to learn that she is improving from her recent illness.

Mrs. M. A. Byrd is seriously ill of typhoid fever at her daughter's, Mrs. Hart of Tenth and Adams streets.

Mr. Eugene Edwards of Twelfth and Trimble streets is better today. He has been dangerously ill of typhoid fever.

—There will be Thanksgiving services at Grace church Thursday morning at 10:30. Offerings of clothing and provisions can be sent to the church Wednesday afternoon between 3 and 5 and Thursday morning between 8 and 9 o'clock. Members of the church knowing persons in need will please send their names to Miss Birdie Nash, secretary of Rector's Aid. The offerings in money will be for general clergy relief fund.

DEATH IN CHRISTIAN.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Nov. 25.—S. H. Claggett, a prominent farmer, died at his home, near this city, of heart trouble, aged 58 years. He was a native of Todd county, and his wife was Miss Ellen Crumby, of Elkton. He was a member of the Presbyterian church. He leaves four children.

ASKS FOR DIVORCE.

Darvie Walton has sued William Walton for divorce in circuit court, alleging that they were married in February, 1900 and separated in August. She alleges abandonment and asks to be restored to her maiden name, Darvie Strauser.

SKILLFUL COOKS' DUTY.

SHOULD MAKE FOOD TASTE AND LOOK WELL.

The true science of cookery is to select proper and nourishing ingredients and then prepare them in such a manner as will please the taste, and incidentally the eye.

The most valuable food will not long agree with a person if its taste is disagreeable. This does not argue that all nice tasting articles are nutritious and nourishing. However it is the duty of all food experts to produce delicious food and from the best possible ingredients, and to have a comprehensive knowledge of the laws of digestion and assimilation.

Grape-Nuts, the new food now on sale at grocers, is thought to be the highest type of scientifically made food thus far produced.

It possesses the delicate sweet of grape sugar, with a new and peculiar flavor of a most winning character, while the processes of manufacture have brought the food to such a condition that it is absorbed by the system

TIPS

Solves the problem. Anything you need or do not need. "Tips" will secure or dispose of for you.

The price for advertisements in this column is 5c a line. Cash must accompany the order for all ads. There will be no variance from this rule for anyone.

WANTED—A girl to nurse. Apply 927 Jackson street. 3

FOR RENT—Ten room, two story house. 421 North Seventh, \$35 per month. R. Rowland.

WANTED—To rent three or four rooms in center part of city by a small family, all grown. Address D., care Sun. 11

LOST—A lady's gold watch, name Kate Harley inside, on corner Ninth and Trimble. Return to W. C. Overstreet, Eighth and Boyd, and receive liberal reward.

COMING MARRIAGES

Several in This Section of the State This Week

Couple Married in Metropolis Yesterday—Wedding at Catholic church.

Mr. Roy Porter, a young man connected with the Illinois Central here and Miss Emma A. Kidd, daughter of Mr. Thomas Kidd, of Metropolis, were married at the latter place yesterday by Rev. Atwell. Mr. John Austin, of the city, driver of the patrol wagon accompanied the groom to Metropolis, and the party came up last night on the Joe Fowler.

Mr. Thomas W. Roberts, of the city, age 21 and Mattie A. McCreery, of the city, aged 18, were this morning licensed to wed. The marriage takes place at the St. Francis De Sales church at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Rev. B. Wrenn Webb, of Mayfield, and bride, accompanied by Rev. J. O. Reid of the city, and the bride's sister, Miss Eliza Watts, and Dr. J. D. Pryor, arrived in the city at noon from Mayfield and will this afternoon go to Chattanooga on a bridal tour.

Mrs. Coma N. Duncan and Mr. B. W. Owen, of near Woodville, were married at the St. Nicholas hotel today at noon, Rev. G. W. Perryman, of the First Baptist church, officiating.

Eugene V. Taylor, of the county, age 21 and Copie Turner, of Ragland, age 17, were this morning licensed to wed. It will make the first marriage of both.

Miss May Wright and Mr. Charles Graham will be married tomorrow at Wingo, Ky., and go immediately to Dickson county, Tenn., on a visit.

Mr. Leslie De Meyers and Miss Della Knight of Fulton, went to Union City Sunday and were married at the Palace hotel there.

NOTICE.

All persons holding accounts against the estate of Maggie Koerner, deceased, will present same properly proven and certified to me at my office on or before November 25, 1902

J. S. TROUTMAN, Adm.

Mr. W. A. Haas and sister of Ogden's Landing came up last night.

Sam B. Gott's

Old Robinson County
The Best
\$2.00 Whisky
On Earth

The best premium is the best goods Time will prove it. Special Holiday Packages Now Ready.

Sam B. Gott

119 North Fourth

Send get one of Gott's puzzle cards. It will pay you.

Christmas Gift

UNCLE JOHN has the best
2-Dollar Whiskies
in Paducah. Put up especially for the Holiday Trade.

Seidenfelter & Co.

The Kentucky

Management JAMES E. ENGLISH

Wednesday Nov. 26
One Night Only

Wallace MRS
Munro BRUNE
Presents

in the fascinating romance

"UNORNA"

A creation by F. Marion Crawford, prepared for the stage by Espy Williams

Magnificently Mounted
Sumptuously Staged
Notably Cast

Greatest dramatic love story since "Romeo and Juliet."

SEATS ARE NOW ON SALE
Prices \$1.50, \$1, 75, 50, 25

The Kentucky!

Management of JAMES E. ENGLISH

THURSDAY NOV. 27

Special Thanksgiving Day

F. C. Whitney presents the
GRACE CAMERON
Opera Company

in the popular comic opera success

A Normandy Wedding
75 - IN COMPANY - 75

Matinee prices 1st 12 rows orch, \$1
Balance orchestra - - - - - 75c
First 3 rows balcony - - - - - 75c
Balance - - - - - 50c

Night prices 25c to \$1.50

SEATS ARE NOW ON SALE

The Kentucky

Management James E. English.

Sat. MATINEE Nov. 29
AND NIGHT

Rule Walters' up-to-date

'Side Tracked'

The funny specialties. Great mechanical effects. The tramp on the cowcatcher. ARTISTIC DANCING.

GOOD SINGING

Everything New

Matinee	Children	But the Name
Prices	Adults	- - - 15c
		- - - 50c
Night	Orchestra	- - - 50c
Prices	Balcony	- - - 35c
	Gallery	- - - 25c



Fire Bells in the Night

strike terror to the heart of the man who is away from home, as he don't know but he may find his home in ruins on his return. And the first thought that strikes him after he has found his family is safe is—I hadn't a cent of insurance on it. Be wise in time, for it may be your house next time. Let us insure you; we represent none but the best and strongest companies and prompt adjustments and settlements is our motto.

H. H. LOVING & CO.

Over Globe Bank & Trust Co. Phone 385

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

The last half of the City Taxes are now due and must be paid on or before Dec. 1st, 1902. If not paid by the above date, a penalty of ten per cent will be added on same, by attending to this you can save yourself trouble and expense.

WILLIAM KRAUS.

City Treasurer.

Violets of Sicily is the name of the sweetest blend of odors that we have yet struck upon.

DuBois, Kohl & Co.

JANES

REAL ESTATE
INSURANCE &
MORTGAGE
LOANS

Have plenty money to loan at 5 per cent interest on 10 year mortgages, with privilege of payment at any time after 30 days notice and at 6 per cent on 5 year loans. If property and title is good money can be had at all times. Both farm and city loans.

FOR SALE.

All classes property in every part of city, of which a few samples here given.

Good three room house on South Eighth street near Husbands, for only \$375. Excellent as investment for rent, or home for colored man a bargain.

No. 1740 Harrison street—in Fountain Park—new four room, nice house, 50 foot lot at \$1,000, or this with adjoining vacant 50 foot lot \$1200.

Seven room house on North side of Elizabeth street, third towards river from Sixth street, rents at \$13 a month for \$800.

Two houses on one lot at north-west corner Ninth and Ohio streets, total rents \$20.50 per month. Price \$2050. Easy payments.

No. 520 North Sixth street, rented by year to prompt paying tenant at \$35 per month. Price \$4,000.

No. 1036 Monroe street, excellent, 5 room house, 50 foot lot, very desirable home in first class neighborhood. Price \$1950.

No. 1341 South Ninth street, 5 rooms, hall, shade and fruit trees Price \$900

No. 414 South Tenth street, 2 story, 9 room house, in good repair, newly papered and painted inside, vacant lot, which sell with house and lot or separate. Will give bargain in this property and if desired easy payments. See me for particulars.

Bargain for colored man in home, at \$600, \$100 cash and balance in \$10 monthly payments. Situated south side Jones street between Eleventh and Twelfth, good 3 room house, on 40 ft lot.

50 lots in Fountain park at prices from \$125 to \$1000, terms \$10 cash and \$5 monthly payments.

No. 911 South Eleventh street, 4 room house, in good condition, one-third cash and balance reasonable payments. Price \$1000

Several corner lots on Clay street, with joining inside lots to go with corner ones if desired.

No. 410 North Fifth street, good 5 room house, lot front 57 ft. 9 inches with plenty grass and shade. Price \$2250.

Cairo pike lots and on cross streets between Twelfth and Thirteenth, just south of the Griffith dairy at \$125 and up.

Six houses for rent, different sizes and prices, from \$7 to \$30 per month.

Several houses in Worton's Addition for sale singly for homes or in lump for investors, to whom low prices be given, and if wanted easy payments.

No. 907 Clark street, an excellent 7 room house, with sewer connections and all modern conveniences, an elegant home at \$2050.

Lot, northeast corner Harrison and Seventh, 57 ft. 9 inches front on Seventh and back to alley, with 3 excellent houses, both sewer connected, and total rents \$45 per month. An excellent investment at \$3800, of which \$1800 cash and balance as long time as wanted.

Large number of Rowlandtown lots at prices from \$50 up and on small monthly payments.

200 Mechanicsburg lots at prices from \$50 up. Examine plats and get prices.

No. 1236 Monroe street, 3 room house at \$850.

W. M. JANES

520 B'Way, Paducah, Ky

YOU HAVE GOT YOUR WORK TO DO

HERE IS THE LESSON OF TIME. TEN YEARS OF ACHIEVEMENT

The American people were not eating Cereals ten years ago. Oatmeal could be bought in drug stores. People ate cereals when the doctor recommended.

About that time appeared the figure of the Quaker—now familiar. His message was simply "Eat Less Meat."

People no longer have to be told that cereals are more wholesome and yield a greater food value than meat.

It is not so much a choice between meat and cereals as a choice between cereals.

To live and win to-day your body and brain must be as active and strong as you can make them.

It is a matter of food.

The fact that Quaker Oats and the Greater Achievement came at the same time is not without its meaning.

We have mastered food questions—not merely cereals, but every food. We have told you in the last few days some of the many Quaker Differences which make Quaker Oats the best food.

The word "best" is used carelessly in many advertisements; but there is no other way of saying best when we mean best.

Quaker Oats is now the American Work Food.

You have got your work to do.

If you breakfast on it you will work better, play better, sleep better.

Quaker Oats

At All Grocers

The World's Playground

Colorado, Michigan, Canada, The Adirondacks, St. Lawrence River, White Mountains, Or the Sea Coast of New England, Best reached by the

"Big Four"

or full information and particulars as to rates, tickets, limits, etc., call on Agents "Big Four Route," or address the undersigned,

Warren J. Lynch, W. P. DEPPE,
Gen. Pass. & Tkt. Agt., Asst. G. P. & T. A. CINCINNATI, O.

S. J. GATES, Gen'l Agt.,
LOUISVILLE, KY.

CHEAP SETTLERS' RATES TO THE FAR WEST AND NORTHWEST.

The Burlington Route will renew the cheap one way Settlers' rates every day of September and October, 1902, to Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon and California, such as \$30.00 from St. Louis, \$35.00 from Chicago, and \$25.00 from Missouri River points, to California, Portland and Puget Sound territory, with correspondingly low rates to Spokane District and the Butte-Helena District.

The Burlington Route and its connections best reach the entire West and Northwest country. It is the main traveled road through the West. The map shows.

CHEAP ROUND TRIP TOURIST RATES TO COLORADO-UTAH.

During certain periods of August and September the Burlington will make such remarkably low first-class round trip rates to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo as \$21.00 from St. Louis, \$25.00 from Chicago, good all summer; at other periods only one fare plus \$2.00. Ask nearest ticket agent for details.

COOL MINNESOTA.

Very low tourist rates to Minnesota points daily, until September 15th.

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSION.

First and third Tuesdays of August, September and October to many sections of the West and Northwest. Round trip tickets with 21 days' limit. Consult your nearest ticket agent or write us of your proposed trip and let us advise you the least cost, send us our publications and otherwise assist you.

F. M. RUGG, L. W. WAKELEY,
T. P. A., 604 Pine St., Gen'l Pass'g Agent,
ST. LOUIS, MO. ST. LOUIS, MO.

G. M. LEVEY,
General Manager,
ST. LOUIS, MO.

RYMAN LINE.

NASHVILLE AND PADUCAH PACKET.

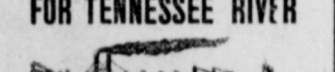


Str. H. W. Buttorff.

Leaves Paducah for Clarksville every Monday, 12 m.
Leaves Paducah for Nashville every Wednesday, 12 m.
Leaves Clarksville every Tuesday noon for Paducah.
Leaves Nashville every Saturday noon for Paducah.
For freight or passage apply on board or to Given Fowler, Agt.
J. S. Tyner, W. A. Bishop,
Master. Clerk.

ST. LOUIS AND TENNESSEE RIVER PACKET COMPANY.

FOR TENNESSEE RIVER



STEAMER CLYDE

Leaves Paducah for Tennessee River every Wednesday at 4 p. m.

LOUIS PELL, Master.

EUGENE ROBINSON, Clerk.

This company is not responsible for invoice charges unless collected by the clerk of the boat.

TRY OUR IMPORTED Black and Black and Green MIXED TEAS

65c and 75c a pound.

BEST TEA ON EARTH

CHINESE LAUNDRY

[Work Guaranteed]

OUR SPECIALTY

HIGH GRADE DOMESTIC FINIS ON COLLARS AND CUFFS.

No. 102 Broadway

EQUAL PARTNERS

By HOWARD FIELDING

Copyright, 1901, by Charles W. Hooke.

Blair took an enormous, ragged pocketbook from the inside of his waistcoat and paid the money. Then he replaced the wallet and showed Neale the additional writing that he had put into the blankbook. Above the partnership agreement was this:

For the purchase of the Holbein Manufacturing company and further operations on information furnished by A. G. B.

"I don't see how you happen to be poor," said Neale, regarding the other genially.

Blair ground his hands together. "It's the start," he said, "the cursed money to make the first move. I never could get these ten talons on it."

"There's something in that," rejoined Neale. "I hope you've got a safe place for that book. I shouldn't care to have it printed in the newspapers after this game is over. I've got a pretty strong pull, but it won't stand everything."

Blair went back to the desk, which was a heavy, old fashioned affair, and locked up the book in one of the drawers.

"And now, my friend," said Neale, "one final word. If you play any games with me, I'll do a trick with you that will wind you up. I have it on the quiet that this Miller girl is going to die. Now, I've been turning up a little evidence, making most of it myself out of the raw goods, of course, and I can make evidence that would hang a man for a murder committed before he was born. How would you like to have me figure you out as the man that did this deed?"

The breath went out of Blair's body as if some one had struck him in the region of his solar plexus.

"You're crazy!" he gasped.

Neale laughed softly. "I went through her trunk," he said, "and got some notes that you wrote to her awhile ago. It isn't generally known that you were so well acquainted."

"Isn't generally known?" echoed Blair. "Why not? I lived in that house for awhile. Certainly I knew her and took her out to dinner a few times. But, holy heavens, why should I want to kill her?"

"Well," said Neale, "there's the money."

"Nonsense! You know where the money went, and you know who committed this crime."

"Perhaps I do," responded Neale, with a grin; "but, at any rate, please remember that I have acted in your interests throughout."

Blair took him by the topmost button of his sack coat.

"In the interests of Joseph Neale," he said. "My interests and those of justice haven't bothered you much. Why, this case reminds me of the old college football games 20 years ago. Somebody kicked the ball once, and then the boys began to fight, and nobody paid any attention to the ball after that. Usually some mucker from East Cambridge stole it, and the loss wasn't discovered till after the game was over."

"The football being the criminal, eh," said Neale, "just nominally a part of the proceedings? Well, there may be something in what you say."

And he grinned serenely as he walked backward toward the door.

CHAPTER XV.

MR. ROBINSON'S MESSAGE.

DURING the time when Dr. Blair and Captain Neale were concluding their small matter of business Detective Elmendorf was waiting in Alden's office, having reason to believe

that he would make a flying visit there during the forenoon. This expectation was realized, for Alden entered hurriedly about 11 o'clock.

He greeted Elmendorf in very friendly fashion, the detective meanwhile assuming a somewhat apologetic air.

"I hate to bother you," he said, "about my troubles when you certainly have plenty of your own, but there is a lit-

tle matter, not connected with this case at all, that you can help me about if you feel like it—at least I think you can."

"With all the pleasure in life," responded Alden. "I feel like helping ev-

erybody, with one exception."

And as he spoke the last words his hand, that had been resting upon the back of a chair, closed with a sudden, convulsive movement and ripped one of the wooden rungs out of its fastenings.

Elmendorf slowly crossed the room and examined the break in the chair.

"If you got hold of the gentleman in question," said he, "I think he would never come to trial. By the way, I am pleased to learn that Miss Miller is doing well this morning."

Alden tapped his broken chair as if it had represented the individual to whom Elmendorf had vaguely referred.

"That doesn't let him out, however," he said. "But tell me what I can do for you."

"Did you have some dealings at one time with a firm of the name of Howard & Bain?"

"I believe I did," replied Alden. "They failed and skipped."

"Have you any documents bearing the firm's signature by either partner?" asked Elmendorf.

"Yes, I have one," said Alden, "but I don't know just where it is. I'll look through my desk. John"—addressing Robinson, who sat in his usual place—"do you know where that contract is?"

Robinson replied in the negative, and Alden pulled out the contents of some drawers and pigeonholes in a vain search. Finally he came to one little drawer which Mr. Elmendorf had once opened.

"Here's the contract," he said, "and—Hello, here's something of yours, John."

And he tossed an envelope across to Robinson's desk. Robinson glanced at it hastily and put it into his pocket.

Elmendorf appeared to be busy with the old contract which Alden had handed to him, and, having received permission to keep it for a few days, he put the useless document into his pocket.

"Jack," said Alden, "will you ask Mr. Willett to come in here?"

Willett was the firm's accountant. Robinson walked toward the door, and as he did so Elmendorf half rose from his chair and then sat down again.

The accountant presently appeared. He received some memoranda from Alden and went out again. There was an interval of silence, while Elmendorf devoted himself to the enjoyment of a large cigar and Alden jotted down figures on a slip of paper.

"Wonder what's become of Robinson," said Alden at last.

The detective offered no opinion upon this point, and Alden stepped to the door and glanced into the large room. Elmendorf heard some one say in response to a question that Robinson had gone out. Alden seemed annoyed as he returned to his desk, where he hastily wrote a note to Robinson.

"Now," he said, "I'm going up town."

"St. Winifred's?" queried Elmendorf.

"I shall call there about 1 o'clock."

"If you'll go over to the Astor House with me," said Elmendorf, "and wait about three minutes while I transact a little business, I'll go up with you, and we can talk on the way. There are a few questions that I'd like to ask after I've straightened them out in my own mind a bit."

Alden saw no objection to this arrangement, and so they walked over to the old hotel together. Elmendorf glanced at his watch as they entered and then approached the attendant in charge of the telephone booths in the hall.

"There will be a call for Mr. Elmendorf from Philadelphia in about a minute," he said. "I am the man."

The call came within the interval stated, and Elmendorf entered the booth, where he gave the customary greeting, which was returned in a familiar voice.

"I've got track of your man over here," said the voice. "R. appears to be his real name; didn't suppose it was. He was in trouble over here a little more than a year ago and had to get out of town; borrowed some money on bogus security." And the voice furnished a few details of the transaction. "He has been trying to straighten it out lately and is not in danger of arrest here; has been over several times. There are rumors that he got into similar trouble in Washington, but I'm not down to that yet. One man who knows him here thinks he had letters from a girl named Miller; doesn't know whether she was on the stage or anything about her, in fact; isn't even sure of the name, but I'm going to get more information about that. As to other inquiries, nothing as yet, but will write you this evening."

"All right," responded Elmendorf. "Hustle, old man. This thing is getting pretty ripe over here. And, remember, this is personal business; it isn't official. I may want to cover the whole matter up."

"The man is no good, I guess," said the voice.

"I don't care anything about the man," rejoined Elmendorf, "or the other one either. It's the girl I'm interested in. Nothing is too good for her or ever was, and if the worst comes I want to be in a position to

write somebody's neck and wring it hard. I don't know whose it will be yet. How about the records?"

"Nothing in sight."

"Well, there must be somewhere. Mr. Tantalus has got to be accounted for. Much obliged to you. Goodby."

Elmendorf rejoined Alden, who in the meantime had engaged a hansom.

"Your secretary, Robinson, seems to be a handy man," said Elmendorf after some desultory conversation.

"He's very obliging," replied Alden. "Perfectly honest, I suppose?"

"Never knew anything to the contrary," said Alden. "He doesn't handle any money."

"He handled \$500 the other day," suggested Elmendorf.

"But he didn't know it," replied Alden. "I don't mean to imply anything against Robinson, but I know very little about him, and I never trust a man any further than I know him. I never trust a man with money unless I know the money side of him. It is possible to be a good, straight fellow about everything else and have a weakness there."

"I should think you ought to be a pretty good business man," said Elmendorf.

"I suffer from the same trouble that you have," replied Alden; "I'm too honest."

"There's nothing honest about me," protested Elmendorf gloomily. "It's my luck; I never have a chance. By the way," he added, changing his tone, "Robinson knew Miss Miller quite well, didn't he?"

"Only through me," answered Alden. "I used to get him to take messages to her house quite often. It was convenient; he lived near by."

"Yes," said Elmendorf. "They told me at the house that he came quite often. Do you remember the first note with her name on it that you ever gave him? Well, I happen to know that he took it to your bookkeeper, Willett, and asked who Miss Miller was. He seemed to be quite interested. Afterward he told Willett that he was mistaken in supposing that he knew Miss Miller. It was another girl of the same name."

"If you are trying to work Jack Robinson into this case," said Alden, "you are a long way off the track."

Elmendorf protested that he had no such intention, adding that he had no rational theory of the case and never expected to have one.

When they entered St. Winifred's, they met Dr. Kendall, who had just come from a visit to Elsie. He led them into his own room.

"I'm sorry to tell you," he said to Alden, "that Miss Miller is not quite so well just now. I wouldn't advise seeing her. Mr. Robinson delivered your message."

"What message? When?" demanded Alden.

"He was here about half an hour ago," said Kendall, with increasing alarm as he noted the manner of the others. "He said it was something very important from you, and after consulting with Miss MacLane I let him speak with Miss Miller in private for a few minutes. I thought she seemed somewhat disturbed afterward, but she told us that the matter was of small consequence."

"I know nothing whatever about it," exclaimed Alden. "I did not send him here and had no idea he was coming."

He turned to Elmendorf with a sharply questioning glance.

"Well, you can search me," said the detective.

"You mean that you know nothing about it?" asked Kendall anxiously.

"Less than nothing," responded Elmendorf, "and I'm giving you straight goods too."

There was a knock at Kendall's door, and he admitted a nurse, who said that Miss MacLane wished to see him. He did not wait to speak a single word, but hurried away. Alden tried to get an explanation from the nurse, but she professed to have none.

For nearly an hour the two men waited with impatience, which finally passed Alden's power of endurance.

"I must get some word from her," he said after much pacing of the floor.

"There must be serious danger or he would not stay so long."

Elmendorf pointed out the obvious possibility that Kendall might long since have answered Miss MacLane's summons and have gone upon any of a hundred other duties, but Alden would not be thus quieted. He went out to the office to ask in what way he could communicate with the doctor, and within a minute after his departure Kendall entered the room.

He had a large glass jar in his hand, which seemed to contain milk. This he set down upon the table and immediately touched an electric button.

"How is she?" asked Elmendorf in a tone betraying the most earnest solicitude.

"Better, better," replied Kendall. "I think there's no longer any danger. Where is Mr. Alden?"

"No longer any danger!" exclaimed Elmendorf, ignoring the question.

"Has there been any?"

"Well," said Kendall, "she fainted again."

"Again?"

"The first time was just before you came up," said Kendall. "Don't say anything about this. We had just given her a little luncheon, and I thought perhaps she might have had some small stomach trouble; oppresses the heart sometimes, you know. But I don't like this second attack. Heart failure after the injury and the nervous exhaustion wouldn't be the most unlikely thing in the world, you know. Ah! Come here, George."

The last words were addressed to a youth in uniform who had answered the doctor's ring. Kendall gave him some money and whispered to him near the door. When he turned, as George departed, he saw Elmendorf standing rigid, with his blue eyes unusually wide open.

"What do you want of two white mice?" he demanded.

(To be continued)

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

Corrected to April 12, 1902.

South Bound	191	103	101
Lv. Cincinnati	6:00pm	8:15am	8:15am
Lv. Louisville	7:30am	9:45pm	10:00pm
Lv. Evansville	8:30am	10:45pm	11:00pm
Lv. St. Louis	10:30am	12:45pm	1:00pm
Lv. Central City	11:30am	1:45pm	2:00pm
Lv. Evansville	12:30pm	2:45pm	3:00pm
Lv. Hopkinsville	1:30pm	3:45pm	4:00pm
Lv. Princeton	2:30pm	4:45pm	5:00pm
Ar. Paducah	3:30pm	5:45pm	6:00pm
Ar. Paducah	3:40pm	5:55pm	6:10pm
Ar. Fulton	4:40pm	6:55pm	7:10pm
Ar. Paducah	5:40pm	7:55pm	8:10pm
Ar. Cairo	6:40pm	8:55pm	9:10pm
Ar. Jackson	7:40pm	9:55pm	10:10pm
Ar. Memphis	8:40pm	10:55pm	11:10pm
Ar. New Orleans	9:40pm	11:55pm	12:10pm

North Bound

South Bound	191	103	104
Lv. N. Orleans	2:30pm	9:30am	9:30am
Lv. Memphis	3:30pm	10:30am	10:30am
Lv. Jackson	4:30pm	11:30am	11:30am
Lv. Evansville	5:30pm	12:30pm	12:30pm
Lv. Paducah	6:30pm	1:30pm	1:30pm
Lv. Cairo	7:30pm	2:30pm	2:30pm
Lv. Fulton	8:30pm	3:30pm	3:30pm
Ar. Paducah	9:30pm	4:30pm	4:30pm
Ar. Paducah	9:40pm	4:40pm	4:40pm
Ar. Princeton	10:40pm	5:40pm	5:40pm
Ar. Hopkinsville	11:40pm	6:40pm	6:40pm
Ar. Evansville	12:40pm	7:40pm	7:40pm
Ar. St. Louis	1:40pm	8:40pm	8:40pm
Ar. Cincinnati	2:40pm	9:40pm	9:40pm

ST. LOUIS DIVISION.

South Bound	285	279
Lv. St. Louis	7:00am	10:15pm
Lv. St. Louis	7:10am	10:25pm
Chicago	7:20am	10:35pm
Carbondale	7:30am	10:45pm
Parker	7:40am	10:55pm
Paducah	7:50am	11:05pm
North Bound	286	278
Lv. Paducah	10:15pm	6:15pm
Ar. Parker	10:25pm	6:25pm
Ar. Carbondale	10:35pm	6:35pm
Lv. Chicago	10:45pm	6:45pm
Ar. St. Louis	10:55pm	6:55pm
Ar. St. Louis	11:05pm	7:05pm

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SOUTH BOUND.

Lv. Paducah	7:10am	2:15pm
Union Depot	7:15am	2:20pm
Ar. Nashville	9:15am	4:30pm
Hollow Rock Junction	10:40am	5:57pm
Ar. Jackson	12:40pm	7:35pm
Ar. Memphis	4:00pm	
Nashville	1:15pm	9:30pm
Chattanooga	3:05pm	3:05pm
Atlanta	9:30pm	7:30am

NORTH BOUND.

Lv. Atlanta	8:30pm	
Chattanooga	5:00am	1:15pm
Nashville	2:15pm	7:00am
Memphis	11:30am	
Jackson	2:30pm	7:45am
Hollow Rock Junction	5:30pm	10:40am
Paris	6:15pm	11:05am
Union Depot	8:20pm	1:15pm
Ar. Paducah	8:30pm	1:30pm

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Theatrical Notes.

Al G. Field's minstrel at The Kentucky last night was enjoyed by a small crowd owing to the inclement weather. Mr. Field is not with the show, but the many admirers of the owner and his talented troupe, found the show bigger and better than ever. The first part, representing a roof garden scene, was one of the most elaborate ever seen in a minstrel. The first part, musically, however, was a disappointment, as it was badly out. There were only three solos, outside the comic songs, and these were all tenors. There was not a baritone or bass solo, something unusual for a minstrel of the prestige of Field's. The old time favorites elicited the usual applause, and Mr. Reese Prosser, the tenor, received quite an ovation from his friends here. He is a brother to Mr. Evan Prosser, of the B. and O. S. W. railroad. The chorus, with operatic selections, was very fine, especially the transformation scene at the close of the first part. The effect of clouds passing the moon, the shimmer of the moonlight on the water and the gathering storm, was something new here.

Al Field himself was missed, but the entertainment was excellent, and much better than those who saw it last year expected. One of the innovations is the musical act "The Musical Barber of Seville" which was very fine. The after piece "King of the Filipinos" was also good. The company went from here to Evansville.

"A Normandy Wedding," the new comic opera by J. Cheever Goodwin and William Furst, will be at The Kentucky for the special Thanksgiving day attraction. The music of "A Normandy Wedding" is said to be of the popular catchy order and is largely responsible for the great success the piece has achieved, although the story is interesting and replete with comedy situations in itself. Among the numbers that have become most popular are: The Goose Song by Griquette, You Say That You Adore Me, a duet between Griquette and Muscadell, and Cousins Don't Count, a solo with chorus ensemble sung by Denise all in the first act. The seats for the matinee which runs from 25c to \$1 will be reserved for this attraction the same as night seats. The sale opens today.

The sale of seats for Mrs. Brune's appearance in *Unorna* at The Kentucky Wednesday night opened this morning. The Natchez Democrat says of Mrs. Brune:

"A cultured, critical audience packed the Temple Opera house last night to witness the presentation of F. Marion Crawford's 'Unorna,' dramatized by Epsy Williams and presented with rare skill by Mrs. Brune. This brilliant actress exceeded the brightest anticipations of the most sanguine and the supporting cast was all that the most exacting critic could demand."

"Mrs. Brune is indeed the American Bernhardt. No actress ever held a Natchez audience so entranced as Mrs. Brune held her audience last night."

"A Nice Married Man," according to present indications, will be sent out on the road opening December 25 at Lexington, Ky., by Messrs. Wm. Malone, and Joe Everich, backed by local capitalists. The play is one owned by Mr. Malone, and is said to be a winner. Mr. Everich will probably go out with the show, but Mr. Malone will not. Mrs. Malone, (Miss Edna Farrell), will not go with the company.

The "Josh Spruceby" company came over from Metropolis today en route to Hopkinsville where it plays tonight. It missed the 7:45 o'clock train and had to wait over until 11:30 o'clock. It did a good business at Metropolis.

Manager J. E. English yesterday booked Tim Murphy, who was seen here last year in "A Capital Comedy," for December 22 in "Old Innocence." He also booked Andrew Robson for January in "Richard Carvel."

Mrs. Brune tomorrow night in "Unorna" is to be the society event of the season, and will be the best thing Manager English has had to offer thus far this season. The advance sale is large.

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RIVER OBSERVATIONS.

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The Carrsville is still due here from Cumberland river.

The Charleston will leave tonight at 6 o'clock for Tennessee river.

The Joe Fowler departed on time this morning for Cairo with a good trip.

The Mary Stewart arrived this morning from the Ohio and will part again Wednesday.

Inspector L. P. Holland, of the Ayer and Lord Tie company, is up the Tennessee river on business.

The Memphis has left St. Louis and is now en route to Tennessee river. She will pass this city on Wednesday.

Captain Tom Ryman, Sr., of Nashville, is here looking after the competition that he will have in the Cumberland trade this season.

The Henry Harley will arrive today from Tennessee river and will go out again Wednesday. The Clute was to have taken her place, but as repairs are now being made on the latter boat, she will be unable to go on.

Captain James Koger last night for Jeffersonville to take charge of the St. Louis and Tennessee River Packet company's new boat, the Shiloh. Major J. H. Ashcraft and wife left today for Louisville to visit their son, Mr. Harry Ashcraft, and Friday the new boat, in charge of Major Ashcraft, will start on her way down. The company's other new boat, the City of Savannah, is still on the bar six miles above here, and will not be off until there are twelve feet of water here on the gauge.

CROW TO BE OUSTED

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fees and commissions.

The other officers will not likely complain if they are paid a reasonable salary instead of commissions.

Marshal Crow stated this morning that he was still doing business at the old stand, and that he would be on hand when the "ousting" comes off.

Attorney Gilbert stated that he hadn't done anything, and wasn't paying any attention to the other fellows. "They are the ones who are doing it all," he declared today. "I am not saying a word."

NO TURKEY FAMINE HERE.

Papers in other parts of the state, especially in Louisville, claim that there is a turkey famine. There may be a scarcity of them in the big cities, but there is none in Paducah. Local dealers stated today that people can get all the turkeys they want here, provided, of course, they have the money.

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